If you decide that a child can safely ride up front, be sure to:

- Carefully read the owner's manual and make sure you understand all seat belt instructions and all safety information.
- Move the vehicle seat to the rear-most position.
- Have the child sit up straight, back against the seat, and feet on or near the floor.
- Check that the child's seat belt is properly positioned and secured.
- Supervise the child. Even mature children sometimes need to be reminded to fasten the seat belts or sit properly.

Using Child Seats with Tethers

Your car has three attachment points on the rear shelf for securing a tether-style child seat to the car.

Since a tether can provide additional security, we recommend using a tether whenever one is required or available. (Tethers are required in Canada. U.S. owners may check with the child seat maker to determine whether a tether is available for a particular child seat.)

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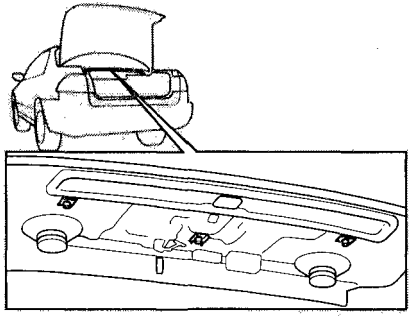
U.S. Models



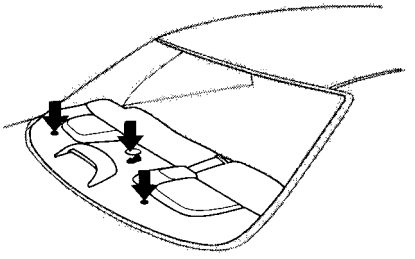
Locate the attachment points by looking in the trunk at the underside of the rear shelf. Select the attachment point you want to use. Take a thin, pointed object, such as an awl or ice pick, insert it into that attachment point, and poke a marker hole in the rear shelf fabric.

Working from inside the car, use a razor blade to cut a 7/8 inch (22 mm) diameter hole in the fabric at the marker hole you punched.

To attach the tether to the car, you need to purchase the anchor plate and mounting hardware from your Honda dealer (Part Number 82410-SE3-C01).

To attach the tether to the child seat, follow the child seat maker's instructions.

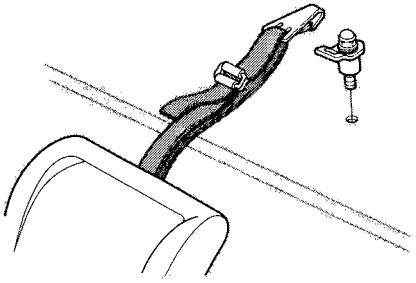
Canadian Models



Select the attachment point you want to use and remove the plug with a small flat-tipped screwdriver or metal fingernail file.

Install the anchor plate and mounting hardware that came with your car.

All Models



When installing tether hardware, make sure the toothed washer is on the bottom of the bolt. Tighten the bolt to:
16 lbf-ft (22 N·m,2.2kgf·m)

If a torque wrench was not used, see your Honda dealer as soon as possible to verify proper installation.

To attach the tether to the child seat, follow the child seat maker's instructions.

If you are not sure how to install the tether, or you need mounting hardware, contact your Honda dealer.